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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Telephone Conversation with Attorney General Bell,  
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1. The Attorney General agreed that our OLCs should get together and schedule the meeting between him, myself, Boland, Aspin and Wilson.
2. On the language put in the Justice Department appropriations bill by the SAC, the Attorney General has no objection to our continuing to work with Senator Hollings. He says our OLCs should work together also to get that taken out in conference.
3. On the Agee legislation, he says that his man at the hearings in the House Select Committee yesterday made an improper statement that we could not sue. He's having that reviewed right now with the thought that we perhaps can sue. I told him also I'd be sending him a letter with some thoughts as to how we could proceed on the legislative route here.

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STANSFIELD TURNER  
Director

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